

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
Case No.: 1:21-cv-00309-CCE-JLW**

NOVANT HEALTH, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

AMERICAN GUARANTEE AND  
LIABILITY INSURANCE COMPANY,

Defendant.

**JOINT STIPULATION FOR  
DISMISSAL**

Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(ii), Novant Health, Inc. and American Guarantee Liability Insurance Company stipulate that all claims filed in this action are dismissed without prejudice, except that Count III of the Amended Complaint will be dismissed with prejudice. Each party will bear its own costs and expenses, including attorneys' fees.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I certify that on October 7, 2022, I electronically filed the foregoing with the clerk of the court by using the CM/ECF system, which will send a notice of electronic filing to all counsel of record.

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